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**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

Application Number : 10/611,808 Confirmation No.: 5053  
Applicant : Jean-Louis GUERET  
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Title : A PACKAGING AND APPLICATOR DEVICE INCLUDING A  
COUPLING MEMBER ENABLING TWO RECEPTACLES TO BE  
UNITED  
TC/Art Unit : 3751  
Examiner: : David J. Walczak  
  
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**AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE TO  
OFFICE ACTION MAILED JANUARY 25, 2005**

Sir/Madam:

**I. Introductory Comments**

Responsive to the non-final office action mailed January 25, 2005, please consider the following response. This response is being filed on April 25, 2005. Accordingly, Applicant submits that this response is filed within the shortened statutory time period provided for reply without payment of extension of time fees. Accordingly, it is believed that no fees are required with this response. However, the Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge fees under 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.16 and 1.17 which may be required now or hereafter, or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 50-0206.

**Amendment to the Specification** begins on page 2 of this paper.

**Amendment to the Claims** begins on page 3 of this paper.

**Remarks** begin on page 7 of this paper.